Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, November 3, 1906, marks the birth of one Ralph Erickson, a son of Norwegian immigrants Robert and Kaia Erickson; and,

WHEREAS, Ralph chose as his lifetime partner Opal Olson, whom he married in the back room of a Howard, South Dakota Drug Store on September 15, 1932; and,

WHEREAS, Service to humanity and hard work have always been two of his top priorities; and,

WHEREAS, Ralph has displayed in word and deed the importance of honesty, dependability, patience, and the Golden Rule; and,

WHEREAS, Joining in the observance of Ralph's Seventy-fourth Birthday are his children: Bev and Dick, Jan and Dale, Rosy and Ron, Roger and Debbie, Dennis and Peggy, Steve and Cindy; and his grandchildren: Brad, Brian, Todd, Marc, Kevin, Jason, Mari, Matt, Paula, Jerod, Kane, Sarah and Aaron; and his wife, Opal; and,

WHEREAS, As Governor it is fitting and proper to hope that Ralph's special day will be one filled with joy and friendship and that it will bring him many memories:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim November 3, 1980, as

RALPH ERICKSON DAY

in South Dakota, and join Ralph's many friends and relatives in wishing him many more years of health and happiness.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, In Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-eighth Day of October, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

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